

★★★★★ **MUST READ**, February 2, 2007

Reviewer: [John Anthony "Jon"](#) (Detroit Michigan)

REAL NAME™

This book is about all the lessons he learned during his fathers death and how they transformed his life and practice.

★★★★★ **The Question & Answer section at the end is worth the price of the book,**

January 23, 2007

Reviewer: [Judy K. Underwood "psychotherapist"](#) (Fort Collins, CO USA)

REAL NAME™

I was overwhelmed with the task of helping my dear friend in the last 11 months of her life. She was diagnosed with terminal cancer and asked me for help to die "a good death." I had no experience in end-of-life issues but wanted to help her in any way I could. I was frequently overwhelmed by it all. Most of the books I found on the topic were too long or too difficult to read during this emotional time. When I found Dr. Ira Byock's book, *Dying Well*, I finally felt like I had a friend to support me. Each of his stories helped me in a different way. Having this book in my library has served as a valuable resource many times. If you can read only one book on the topic, I recommend this one.